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MEMORANDUM FOR: The Honorable Robert Cutler
Special Assistant to the President
for National Security Affairs

SUBJECT:

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1. Your memorandum of July 8th forwarded an appeal to you by to assist in his reinstatement with this Agency. I have reviewed this case numerous times due to previous appeals by through his attorney and through members of Congress.

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2. The situation is essentially simple. After very careful consideration I determined some time ago that marriage of employees of this Agency to aliens created problems that adversely affected the future utilization of the employees concerned. This may have elements of security but also may be based on purely administrative problems, such as suitability for assignments and compatibility with our general career program. We, therefore, put out a regulation requiring that anyone before marrying an alien would submit his resignation for consideration of the matter in all its aspects. Security is clearly stated to be only one of these considerations. My policy has been and will continue to be to accept the resignation unless the employee has such unusual qualifications or has demonstrated such outstanding potential as to overcome any detriment resulting from an alien marriage.

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Legislative Counsel

Director of Personnel

Director of Security

Asst to DCI (Grogan)

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